



DFW

PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL FORM (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)	Application Number	10/760,524-Conf. #1104	
	Filing Date	January 21, 2004	
	First Named Inventor	Wei-Hong WANG	
	Art Unit	2879	
	Examiner Name	E. A. Rielley	
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	3	Attorney Docket Number	2019-0236P

ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Return Receipt Postcard
Remarks		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT			
Firm Name	BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP		
Signature			
Printed name	Joe McKinney Muncy		
Date	May 4, 2006	Reg. No.	32,334



Docket No.: 2019-0236P
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Wei-Hong WANG

Application No.: 10/760,524

Confirmation No.: 1104

Filed: January 21, 2004

Art Unit: 2879

For: FLUORESCENT LAMP CAPABLE OF
CLEANING AIR

Examiner: E. A. Rielley

REPLY TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Election of Species Requirement dated April 4, 2006, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

The Examiner has required an election in the present application between:

Species 1, a method of fabricating a photocatalytic fluorescent lamp using an acid-type of anatase;

Species 2, a method of fabricating a photocatalytic lamp using a base-type of anatase;

Species 3, a method of fabricating a photocatalytic lamp by first mixing the chelating and Ti(OR) then adding water;

Species 4, a method of fabricating a photocatalytic lamp by first mixing the chelating and water, then doping with Ti(OR);

Species 5, a method of fabricating a photocatalytic lamp, the step of coating the anatase TiO₂ solution comprises coating the anatase TiO₂ on the glass before the lamp is fabricated; and

Species 6, a method of fabricating a photocatalytic lamp, the step of coating the anatase TiO₂ solution comprises coating the anatase TiO₂ on the glass after the lamp is fabricated.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect Species 2, with traverse. Claim 3 is directed to the elected species. As acknowledged by the Examiner, at least claims 1, 8 and 9 are generic.

It is respectfully submitted that it should be no undue burden on the Examiner to consider all claims in the single application. Moreover, because at least generic claim 1 should be in condition for allowance, this Election of Species Requirement should also be overcome and withdrawn.

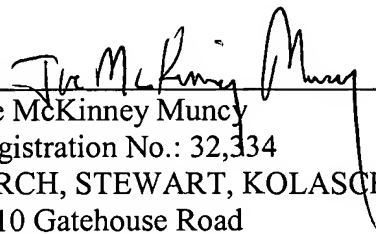
In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, favorable reconsideration and an early Notice of Allowance are earnestly solicited.

In the event there are any outstanding matters remaining in this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned (703) 205-8000 in the Washington, D.C. area.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Dated: May 4, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

By 
Joe McKinney Muncy
Registration No.: 32,334
BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP
8110 Gatehouse Road
Suite 100 East
P.O. Box 747
Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747
(703) 205-8000
Attorney for Applicant